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REORGANIZATION.

When Messrs. Carlisle, Lindsay, Dickinson and ill birds of that feather generally flock to the footlights with noisy ejaculation that Democracy must be reorganized, the question inevitably follows: Have these renegades re-organized themselves? Have they re-turned to the principles they deserted, the party they twice defeated? If they have not, what right have they to speak for Democracy any more than for Republicanism? By what authority, either human or divine, are they vested with the right to dictate to honest men—much less to a great political organization—any line of action?

If the mouthpieces of these men mean anything, it is a cold-blooded proposition that Democracy abandon free coinage, give up its fight against capital, surrender to the trusts—face about on every issue that it has contended for since its birth. Having done all this; having lost the public respect and its own self-respect, these individuals who are the cause of all present Democratic ills, kindly volunteer to lead us out of the wilderness into the promised land!

This is too much for too little. The leadership of no mortal ever born of woman was worth such a sacrifice as that. Even in the politics of to-day, foully corrupt and sadly degenerate as it is, there is such a thing as principle that spurs unprincipled leaders. Whenever Mr. Carlisle and his like step into the front door of the old Democratic home, that same day seven millions of honest men and true men step out the back way. There is no room for traitors in the white man's party.

Whenever the Democratic party is in need of advice or assistance it will ask for it. Until it does, it is the part of wisdom, no less than of common decency, for those who have betrayed, deserted and kuifed it in its hour of direst extremity, to keep silent.

No Waterloo for Truth.

It is well understood that even two defeats in succession would cause the annihilation of the Republican party as now constituted. Therefore, the rapid politicians who clamor for the backward step of the Democracy must take warning that the influences that were potent at Kansas City last July will still control the Democratic party until the present verdict shall have been reversed and check given to those who seek the overthrow of popular government and the upbuilding of an empire on these shores.

And a single word must be offered to the victorious Hanna and his president. While there can be no Waterloo for truth, history abounds with instances where victory has been the worst possible defeat. It will continue as long as there remains in the human heart a hope for bettering humanity and for the extension of liberty regulated by law.—Johnstown Democrat.

Regard for public opinion keeps many people out of the penitentiary. Public opinion is the comment which our neighbors make concerning ourselves. This comment would not concern us save it feeds or frights our self conceit. Absolute independence would be unmoved by public opinion. Vanity seeks to have the public think well of it, and to that extent, is a public benefactor and virtuous. Men are less concerned about sin than of being caught. The sense of pride props many up. Public opinion acts as a sort of scaffolding to keep our good behavior from toppling over. Folks hold their heads up in day time while they bow them low after dusk. In the one instance the public sees and in the other they are alone. Pride of family, a species of ancestral vanity hold some to the straight and narrow path of righteousness. They will do nothing to bring a blot upon the family name. They are concerned about transmitting this name untainted to succeeding generations. It came down to them untainted by act of public wrong and this family pride enables us to resist the temptation.—Ex.

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The Second Administration.

The people of the United States, for the second time have confided to William McKinley the interests of the country. This did not arise from a feeling of satisfaction with the manner in which he conducted public affairs for the just past three years and eight months. It is not possible that the virtue and patriotism of the people gave a hearty second to the course pursued by the Federal Administration in its foreign relations with conquered people. It is beyond belief that we, who have enjoyed the blessings of constitutional liberty, should be willing to slaughter freedom on our own threshold. The ways of Providence are inscrutable to man, and we look in vain for light behind the dark cloud which envelops a national policy foreign to every aspiration of liberty. Is it possible that, by patience and suffering on the part of the people, windows will open from which dazzling light will gush forth, illuminating a condition which is now shrouded in darkness.

With this new lease of power larger responsibilities have been imposed on President McKinley. The President, in meeting the Philippine situation, has forsaken the well beaten paths on which the fathers of the constitution and the wise leaders of both the great political parties have walked for more than a century of years, and has begun blazing a path through a wilderness void of a single mark which can be used as a guide. Constructive statesmanship has stepped to the helm, and experiment, merely suggestive in its character, has violently seized the wheel. It takes the largest ability and the most thorough familiarity with the "reason for things" to enable constructive statesmanship to win success. Not every mind is malleable, besides, ambition is constantly at work to give coloring to situation that will lead it to do the service of men, rather than state, or country, or people.

If the President relies on patriotic impulses more faith will be entertained than in the end he will reach a solution much more in harmony with the spirit of our institutions than he will if he gives ear to the subtly spun theories of men who are anxious to use the foreign situation for their own advantage. It is to be regretted that on several occasions, notably in his treatment of the Porto Ricans, the President held correct views, which later, by some malign influence, he was compelled to give up and adopt the views of men who were only interested in providing government for the people of that island so far as their personal advantages were concerned.

It is not possible to magnify the importance of the increased responsibilities which have been placed on the President by his re-election, nor describe the feverish anxiety which the people feel that he meets the occasion with ability, fidelity and sincerity. While large questions will present themselves for correct solution to the Administration between 1901 and 1905, not one of them, or all of them, will demand that high ability in constructive statesmanship as does the application of the principles of our Government to the Philippine situation. While it is not too late to make critical inquiry into the manner in which we acquired our new possessions it is too late to correct mistakes of minor character, except as they are largely remedied by an acknowledgment that they were made and should be studiously avoided in any future relations with our new possessions.

The probabilities are, or at least should be, that with the meeting of Congress the President will recognize the absolute necessity for handing over to Congress all matters which are legislative in character, so far as the future of the Philippine group is concerned. Should Mr. McKinley pursue that course our countrymen will feel that in the multitude of discussion there will be more wisdom than is found in personal opinion to a larger or lesser degree affected by interests which were born of, but are not necessarily a part of, the Philippine situation.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Caleb Powers' Case.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 8.—Attorney John Young Brown, of Louisville, one of counsel for Caleb Powers, the conspirator, appeared before the Court of Appeals to-day and practically asked the court to pass the case of his client up to the new court by setting it down for argument during the last week of December. Chief Justice Hazelrigg promptly refused, and fixed Friday, November 23 next, for the argument and submission of the case.

In fixing that date the Chief Justice said: "In the eight years that I have been on the bench this is the first Commonwealth case in which such an extension has been requested. The attorneys for the defendant, it is assumed, know what the record contains, and there is no ground for extension further than ten days. I will fix the 23rd of the present month for the hearing."

The grounds upon which the attorneys asked until the last of December were that the record was voluminous, and that all of the attorneys for the prisoners had not consulted about the case. He attempted to argue the matter with the court, and said that he could not get ready by the date fixed, but Judge Hazelrigg directed the Clerk to fix that date, and said that when it arrived he would hear any further motion that counsel desired to make.

Kentucky Congressmen Elect.

First District—Chas. K. Wheeler, Democrat.
Second District—H. D. Allen, Democrat.
Third District—John S. Rhea, Democrat.
Fourth District—Dave H. Smith, Democrat.
Fifth District—H. S. Irvin, Republican.
Sixth District—D. Linn Gooch, Democrat.
Seventh District—South Trimble, Democrat.
Eighth District—G. G. Gilbert, Democrat.
Ninth District—J. N. Kehoe, Democrat.
Tenth District—J. B. White, Democrat.
Eleventh District—Vincent Boreing, Republican.

Hog Cholera.

W. L. Crutcher, of Richmond, one of Madison county's most prosperous farmers, tells us that during the late ravages of hog cholera, he has lost no hogs. Twice had his herd been attacked with the disease and both times he has successfully combated the disease without a single loss, says the Farmers Friend. His remedy is as follows: Take a quantity of the bark of Wild Cherry, put it into an iron kettle with water and reduced to a very strong solution. For hogs that are not too sick to drink swill, give two table-spoonsful three times a day in their swill. For those too sick to drink, he drenches them with the same amount, only repeating the dose a little oftener. This is cheap, easy and safe remedy, and knowing Mr. Crutcher, we have no hesitancy in offering it to our readers, hoping some one may be profited hereby.—Ex.

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Mr. Bryan on the Result.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 8.—W. J. Bryan to-night gave out the following statement concerning the election:

"The result was a surprise to me, and the magnitude of the Republican victory was a surprise to our opponents as well as to those who voted our ticket. It is impossible to analyze the returns until they are more complete, but speaking generally we seem to have gained in the large cities and to have lost in the smaller cities and in the country."

"The Republicans were able to secure tickets or passes for all their voters who were away from home, and this gave them considerable advantage. We have no way of knowing at this time how much money was spent in the purchase of votes and in colonization. But while these would account for some of the Republican gains, they could not account for the widespread increase in the Republican vote."

"The prosperity argument was probably the most potent one used by the Republicans. They compared present conditions with the panic times of 1893 to 1896, and this argument had weight with those who did not stop to consider the reasons for the change. The appeal, 'stand by the President while the war is on,' had a great deal of influence among those who did not realize that a war against a doctrine of self-government in the Philippines must react upon us in this country. We made an honest fight upon an honest platform, and, having done our duty as we saw it, we have nothing to regret."

"We were defeated, but are not discouraged. The fight must go on. I am sure that Republican policies will be repudiated by the people when the tendency of these policies is fully understood. The contest between plutocracy and Democracy can not end until one or the other is completely triumphant."

"Concerning himself, Mr. Bryan said: 'I have come out of the campaign with perfect health and a clear conscience. I did my utmost to bring success to the principles for which I stood. Mr. Stevenson did all that he could; Senator Jones and the members of the Democratic, Populist, silver Republican and anti-imperialist committees did all they could. Mr. Hearst and his associates in the club organization put forth their best efforts. Our newspapers, our campaign speakers and our local organizations all did their part. I have no fault to find and no reproaches. I shall continue to take an active interest in politics as long as I live. I believe it to be the duty of citizens to do so, and, in addition to my interest as a citizen, I feel that it will require a lifetime of work to repay the political friends who have done so much for me.'

"I shall not be a senatorial candidate before the Legislature which has been elected. Senator Allen deserves the senatorship which goes to the Populists. Mr. Hitchcock and Mr. W. H. Thompson are avowed candidates for the senatorship. They both deserve well of the party, and I am too grateful to them for past support to stand in their way, even if I had desired a seat in the Senate."

Mr. Bryan said that he has no other plans at present than to remain at home until he had recovered from the fatigue of campaigning. He denied the report that he would remove from Nebraska and make Texas his home.

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Let's Sin by Degrees.

It is not to be denied that the annexation of Cuba by this Government or the establishment of a native government under an American protectorate would be to the advantage of both people, and that it, therefore, should be hoped for as the wisest solution of the problem now in course of settlement.

What is to be deplored, however, is an American application of the principle that the end justifies the means, and that, in accordance with this teaching, if Cuba does not consent willingly to annexation or to be protectorate, she shall be annexed or "protected" against her will. There are two considerations which forbid this course on the part of the American Government.

The first of these is, of course, that the Declaration of Independence declares that no just government may be established without the consent of the governed. There is a disposition on the part of imperialists generally to sneer at the suggestion for abiding by this declaration in these days, but surely we must pay some semblance of respect to a once highly honored American utterance until we shall have formally repudiated and disposed of it for all time to come.

The second of these considerations is that we have solemnly pledged ourselves to the granting of national independence to Cuba if the people of that island shall prefer their own government. This pledge is contained in our declaration of war against Spain, formulated in April, 1898, wherein we announced that Cuba was then, and of right should be, free and independent. The argument is now advanced that this statement was largely unbecome, included in our declaration of war to round it out with the necessary sentiment and sonority, but nations that bind themselves in solemn covenants cannot thereafter plead the baby-act without loss of national honor. Don't you remember how much we all had to say about our glorious "war for humanity" in 1898?

So it is that we should go slow—at least as slowly as we can in grabbing Cuba. Of course we will grab it—the determination is now too apparent to be ignored by any but the feeble-minded—but let's go as leisurely about it as is possible. The whole shameful thing is pitiful, don't you know? so wearisome and disappointingly pitiful.—St. Louis Republic.

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Rev. R. T. Stevens, a Methodist preacher, was killed by a falling tree in McLean county.

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